THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI D. L. BAITHA) : (a) and (b) There was no import of wheat and rice during 1987-88. However, a quantity of 31,000 tonnes of maize from Yugoslavia valued at approximately US $ 3.44 million was imported during 1987-88. During 1988-89, 20.11 lakh tonnes of wheat from USA at an approximate FOB cost of US $ 243.36 million, 6.84 lakh tonnes of rice from Thailand at an approximate FOB cost of US $ 166.76 million and 78,189 tonnes of maize from Argentina valued at approximately US $ 10.15 million were imported. In addition a quantity of about 2 lakh tonnes of maize was received as aid from USA during 1988-89.

(c) A quantity of approximately 4.90 lakh tonnes of wheat including loan and gift valued at about Rs. 75.42 crores was exported to North Korea, Vietnam, Nepal, Iran and African cuntries during 1987-88. During 1988-89, a quantity of 1,000 tonnes of wheat valued at about Rs. 23 lakhs was gifted to African countries on Government account.

The details of other items exported during the year 1986-87 and 1987-88 are given as under:—

Item	1986-87		1987-88		Country to which exported
	Qty. (in tonnes)	Value (in Rs. lakhs)	Qty. (in tonnes)	Value (in Rs. lakhs)	
Basmati rice	330611	30788	237153	20678	Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, USA, Canada, UK, Germany FR, Netherlands, France, USSR.
Other rice	22808	1237	2689	132	Saudi Arabia, Oman, UAE, Kuwait.
Maize	50	1	10	Negligible	Saudi Arabia.
Bajra	5887	149	2408	66	Saudi Arabia, UAE.
Jowar	782	22	930	24	Saudi Arabia, UAE.
Ragi	52	3	74	2	Malaysia, Singapore.

गुजरात में धर्मार्थ औषधालय

1162. **श्री मीर्जा इर्शादबेग:** क्या श्रम मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या सरकार को गुजरात राज्य के धर्मार्थ औषधालयों के महासंघ से कोई अभ्यावेदन प्राप्त हुए हैं; यदि हां, तो यह कब प्राप्त हुआ था और उसका ब्योरा क्या है; और

(ख) क्या सरकार ने उनके अभ्यावेदन पर विचार किया है, इस पर कब तक विचार किया जायेगा और निर्णय लिया जायेगा?

श्रम मंत्रालय में उप मंत्री तथा संसदीय कार्य मंत्रालय में उप मंत्री (श्री राधाकृष्ण मालवीय): (क) और (ख) श्रम मंत्रालय में गुजरात राज्य में धर्मार्थ औषधालयों के महासंघ से कोई आवेदन प्राप्त नहीं हुआ है।

Amount allotted for rural water supply programme and other welfare projects

1163. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the amount allotted to Uttar Pradesh and Bihar under the centrally sponsored Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme and other welfare projects like NREP, RLEGP, TRYSEM etc. during the last and the current financial years; and

(b) the details of the progress achieved during the period June, 1987 to December, 1988?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARI): (a) and (b) A Statement is enclosed.

Statement

Name of Programme	Funds released			
	U.P.		Bihar	
	1987-88	1988-89	1987-88	1988-89
Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme	37.50	39.01	14.99	29.52
NREP	171.46	162.31	117.40	132.43
RLEGP	116.24	153.14	85.25	112.59
TRYSEM	1.04	1.01	—	0.92
IRDP	116.52*	131.86*	84.11*	96.09*

*Funds allotted

Name of Programme	Physical Progress (June'87 to Dec'88		
	Unit	Achievement	
		U.P.	Bihar
Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme	No. of Problem Villages covered with safe drinking water	15744	4354
NREP	Employment Generation (in lakh mandays)	864.53	635.04
RLEGP	Employment Generation (in lakh mandays)	719.93	540.50
TRYSEM	No. of youth trained	53778	30402
IRDP	No. of families assisted (in lakhs)	12.14	9.26